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**AMENDMENT AND INTERVIEW
SUMMARY**

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Sir:

In response to a telephonic interview with Examiner Hanh B. Thai on March 27, 2008, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Interview

Applicants thank Examiner Hanh B. Thai for the courtesy of a telephonic interview with the undersigned on March 27, 2008. The Examiner indicated that the previous statutory type double patenting rejection was made in error and should have been a non-statutory type double patenting rejection. To obviate the need for making another rejection, the Examiner requested a terminal disclaimer of U.S. Patent No. 6,678,675. The Applicants submit herewith an appropriate Terminal Disclaimer.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 303-571-4000.

Respectfully submitted,

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